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Fish with Santa at Whittier Narrows Recreation Area

(Los Angeles County) - On Saturday, December 1, 2012, children ages 5-15 are invited to "Fish with Santa" at Whittier Narrows Recreation Area's Legg Lake, located at 751 South Santa Anita Avenue, Area D, in South El Monte, CA 91733. Admission is free.

Registration will take place at 8:00 a.m. at two locations near the north end of the Lake: the adjacent Santa Anita Avenue free parking lot and the adjacent Rosemead free parking lot. Fishing takes place from 9:00 a.m. to 12:00 noon, followed by a congratulatory ceremony and raffle drawing. A limited number of rods, reels, tackle and bait are available for children to use.

"Fishing with Santa" provides children living in urban areas with the opportunity to enjoy fishing in or close to their own neighborhood. Santa adds holiday cheer with a free hot dog lunch.

Parking is free for the first 250 vehicles. Additional parking is provided in the Area D parking lot with an vehicle entrance fee of \$6.00. For more information contact the park office at (626) 575-5526.

This event is co-sponsored by the County of Los Angeles Department of Parks and Recreation, the Montebello Police Department, the California State Department of Fish and Game's "Fishing in the City" program, the Daniel Hernandez Youth Fishing Foundation, Rockview Farms, Pepsi and Turner's Outdoorsman.

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